A Constantinople despatch says it is rumored there that the Kniaz Potemkin engaged two officers of a British ship while at Kustendje. It is a coincidence that the agents there of a British ship now at Kustendie have been ordered to send two officers to join her. No reason is given.

The Odessa correspondent of the Standard says communication with Nicolaieff and Kherson is only tentatively reopened. Communication with the Caucasus is suspended

There was a crowd at Cap Fontaine on Tuesday night watching for the expected reappearance of the Potemkin. Cossacks attacked the people and brutally dispersed them; killing and wounding thirty. There has been more shooting in the Peressyp district. It is stated that twenty-seven persons were killed.

Ugly rumors are prevalent regarding the future, including one of an impending anti-Jewish outbreak. The chief of police says there are grave reasons to fear that such an outbreak is being organized.

COSSACKS FIRE ON RIOTERS. Trouble at the Putlloff Works When Young Man Shoots a Policeman.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. ST. PETERSBURG, July 5 .- A policeman to-day arrested the son of a foreman of the Putiloff iron works as he was entering the works, suspecting him of being a dynamiter. The young man shot and killed the policeman with a revolver. There was further shooting, in which the young man

was wounded. The firing brought to the spot an immense crowd of workmen. Cossacks charged on them, using whips. Then they fired three volleys into the crowd, causing several casualties among the workmen.

LONDON, July 6 .- The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times ascribes the more threatening turn the strike movement has taken to the fact that mobilization is still proceeding. The workmen have become alarmed and restless. Their mood thus far has not been ugly, but they are notoriously under the control of the revolutionary organizations, which may or may not decide upon extreme measures.

The correspondent adds that Batoum is out off from the world, all steamers having stopped. The railway employees in the Caucasus are striking.

Special Guard for Baku Oil Fields.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. ST. PETERSBURG, July 5.- The officers of the companies engaged in the petroleum industry at Baku, Trans-Caucasia, have decided to dispense with the services of the police and the troops in protecting their manufactories and to organize a military force of their own. They say that unless this is done the restoration of the petroleum industry is impossible.

ANNIE GLEASON IN LONDON. Shoplifter and All Round Crook Skipped Ball Here Last Year.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN LONDON. July 5 .- A woman who attempted last week to substitute a counterfeit article for a pearl necklace, valued at \$10,000, at Christie's has been identified as Annie Gleason, who in June, 1904, jumped her bail in New York when charged with shoplifting and bolted to London, where she has been living.

Recently she took a good introduction to the American Embassy, where she received a passport in the name of Annie Grant. Inspector Drew of the police says she has been making a good thing out of shoplifting in London. Her real name is Annie Chisel. She was born in Chicago. She married there John Armstrong, alias Mike Gleason, who is now in an American

COUNT THIEZY KILLED IN AUTO. His Machine Was Overturned and Thrown Into a Ravine.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

PARIS, July 5.—Whi'e Count Thiezy was proceeding to see the automobile race today his car was overturned on a curve near Lepuy and thrown into a ravine. The Count received injuries from the effect of which he died at a hospital.

A woman accompanying him was severely injured.

Rare Books Bring Good Prices. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN

LONDON, July 5 .- A fine copy of Caxton's Book Called Caton," 1483, was sold at Christie's to-day for \$6,750, A copy of Tyndale's "Pentateuch," 1530, sold for \$4,720. A fourteenth century manuscript of Wyclif's New Testament, on vellum, once the property of Sir Thomas More's daughter, brought \$2,750. "The Book of Hours." used by Louis XVI. upon the scaffold, was sold for \$720.

Perry Fund Given for Japanese Relief.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN Tokio, July 5 .- The committee of the Perry Memorial Relief Fund to-day presented 103,000 yen to Viscount Tanaka, Minister of the Imperial Household, for distribution under the Emperor's commands to destitute families of Japanese soldiers and sailors. The fund is the joint enterprise of Americans and Japanese, and it is regarded as an expression of the warm sympathy between the two peoples.

Results of Italian Elections.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN ROME, July 5.-The Moderate Clericals are now coming to the fore in the provincial elections. So far they have gained twentyfour seats. The Clericals have prevailed ar Bologna, Padua, Verona, Biella, Treviglio, Valse and Belgioioso. The Radicals have carried Cremona, Lecco, Castello and Laorca. The parties were about equal in Genoa and Leghorn.

No More Plague Cases at Panama.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. PANAMA, July 5 .- Gov. Magoon last evening tendered a reception to President and Mrs. Amador at the Central Hotel. It was largely attended.

There have been no further cases of the plague, which indicates that the disease

Cotton's Close in Liverpool. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN LIVERPOOL, July 5 .- Cotton closed feverish from 6 to 8 points below the day's best

Charged With Stealing Tickets. William S. Cline of 304 West 134th street a ticket chopper at the Forty-second street station of the Sixth avenue elevated line was arrested last night charged with stealing tickets from his box. According to the detectives, Cline would let his box fill and then extract the tickets. He had 105 tickets in his pockets when arrested.

Only by tasting can the housewife or the epicure



RADIUM NOT A CANCER CURE. Research Committee Hears the Result of the Year's Investigation.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

LONDON, July 5.—Sir William Church, president of the Royal College of Physicians, addressed the third annual meeting of the cancer research committee, said that the year's investigations confirmed the conclusions announced in 1904, that cancer is not associated with peculiarities of diet,

climate or mode of life. The experiments had yielded the most interesting results, including a demonstration of the possibility of perpetuating malignant new growths through successive generations of mice in such a way that the cancer cells appeared to be gifted with the power of perpetual multiplica-

This power, however, was not manifested at all times and under all conditions, The results thus obtained point to the necessity for more closely studying the processes of cell multiplication, for in this abnormal proliferation and reproduction appear to lie the malignancy of cancer and a clue

to the solution of its mystery. This property of perpetual multiplication definitely separated cancer from known infective diseases. Much experimental work | ad been done in treating malignant growths, but immunizing with serums did no justify the claims sometimes made for them, although in some cases they deprived the cells of the power of growth.

The action of radium and radioactive solutions had been carefully studied. It was undoubtable that these sometimes influenced the growth and development of normal and tumor tissues, but there was no evidence yet obtained that radium emanations had any selective or special action on tumor tissues, while the amount of radioactive solutions necessary to produce any action on the tissues far exceeded the quantity that could be safely introduced

HEAT KILLS TWO GONDOLIERS. American Women Passengers Also Overcome-All Italy Is Suffering.

Special Cable Despatches to THE SUN. VENICE, July 5.-Three American women left here to-day in a gondola to visit the village of Forcello. One of the gondoliers was soon sunstruck. The women assisted him, but in a short time they, too, were sunstruck. The second gondolier shouted for help, but his cries were not heard. Subsequently he was overcome and fell dead from the heat.

When help came the first gondolier was dead. The women recovered conscious-

ness, but their condition is serious. ROME. July 5 .- Entire pages of the newspapers are devoted to the subject of the phenomenal heat in Italy. The temperature in the shade in the square before St. Peter's was over 109 degrees Fahrenheit today. There has been an enormous number of sunstrokes. Several passengers on the railway between Rome and frantic by the intense heat yesterday, attempted to jump off the train.

LONDON, July 5 .- Following the prolonged torrid weather in Europe, violent wind and rain storms have swept over France, Belgium, Germany, Italy and Portugal. The aggregate damage to houses, churches and crops is enormous, eclipsing the record for many years. Numerous deaths were caused by lightning.

PAUL JONES CEREMONY TO-DAY. France Will Transfer the Body-American Representatives Entertained.

PARIS July 5 .- Premier Rouvier entertained at breakfast to-day Ambassador McCormick, Gen. Porter and Assistant Secretary of State Loomis. To-night they and Admiral Sigsbee dined with M. Thomson, the Minister of Marine. The guests included the presidents of the Senate and the Chamber.

Workmen are engaged in erecting upon the Esplanade des Invalides a structure upon which will rest to-morrow the remains of John Paul Jones while the troops and bluejackets and marines march past, before the body is removed to the train that is to convey it to Cherbourg.

WOMEN'S SCHOLARSHIPS ABROAD. Americans in London Start a Movement

to Provide Them. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.
LONDON, July 5.—The Society of American Women in London is starting a movement to found a number of scholarships for American women in the English universities The scheme contemplates a two years postgraduate course. It is at first intended to confine the operation of the plan to Bed-

ford College. The scheme will be formally presented at the biennial meeting of the General Federation of Women's Clubs at Boston, when an endeavor will be made to secure funds for the founding of ninety-six perpetual scholarships, divided into two for each State. It is estimated that the scheme will require

Strike of Longshoremen at San Juan.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, July 5.- The long. shoremen here have gone on strike. The work of loading and unloading vessels is being performed by laborers from the interior of the island. The strike is causing inconvenience to the shipping interests.

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JAPAN FIRST WANTS AGREEMENT ON BASIS OF PEACE TERMS.

Doesn't Want to Waive Any of Her Rights as Victor-Russia Unwilling to Go Further in Seeking Cessation of Hostilities at This Time - The Peace Meeting

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. ST. PETERSBURG, July 5.-It is ascertained from official sources that an armistice cannot be arranged. Japan has made it known that she will not consent to an armistice until the Russian peace mission has formally accepted the basis of her proposals. which will not be communicated till the peace conference has assembled.

WASHINGTON, July 5 .- Confirmation was had in diplomatic circles to-day of the intimation contained in despatches from St. Petersburg that the failure up to this time to reach an agreement for an armistice was due to the refusal of Russia on the one hand to go further than she has already done in intimating her willingness to cease hostilities and to do her part toward securing permanent peace, and the determination of Japan, on the other hand not to take the initiative in asking for the armistice.

The position of Japan, it was said by a man who spoke authoritatively, was not one of continued hostility. She was willing to make peace, it was explained, and, pending the negotiations, was willing to consent to an armistice. But she will not take the initiative in asking a cessation of operations, having up to this time mainained the position of victor in the con-

While Russia has indicated a willingness, it was said, to agree to an armistice, she had not formally asked for one, and Japan was unwilling to make the first request. It was explained that to do so might convey the idea that Japan feared the outcome of continued hostilities, and her position in this respect was supported by continued declarations of Russian officers and diplomats up to a very recent time that Russia had no intention of making peace, but would prolong the struggle indefinitely. Japan's leaders in the peace negotiations refuse to take the risk of being accused in the future of having sued for peace or dreaded the outcome of further warfare.

In Washington there is a feeling born of earnest desire that ultimately an armistice will be reached. The resources of President Roosevelt, it is believed, will be successfully employed to this end.

It was learned to-night that a tentative agreement has been reached on the place of meeting for the peace commission outside of Washington for the summer months. It will be subject to the President's approval. It is understood that the consideration of the summer resorts on Cape Ann has been abandoned.

No negotiations have been carried on between Baron Rosen, the new Russian Ambassador, and Minister Takahira of Japan since the former's arrival in this country looking to the meeting of the peace envoys. There has been no com-

munication between them of any kind. Count Cassini, the Russian Ambassador, will leave Washington next Sunday for New York and will sail for Europe on

POWDER BOX THAT HURT SEVEN Left on Sidewalk by Men, Who Are Arrested for Criminal Negligence.

Capt. Gallagher of the Bedford avenue station, Williamsburg, after an investigation of the powder explosion at Wythe avenue and North Sixth street on Tuesday night, by which seven boys were badly burned, arrested four men for criminal negligence. They are Richard Meyer, saloonkeeper, of 84 North Sixth street. Frank Rauth of 166 Berry street, John Gleason of 94 North First street and John O'Keefe of 114 Devoe street. It is said that Meyer provided several pounds of pow-der with which a large cannon was shot off several times by the three other men. When night came Meyer stopped the cannonading and had the rest of the powder

It was there that the boys found it and mixed it with about two pounds of powder they had gathered from defective fire-crackers and took it out to the roadway. where a few minutes later an unidentified man came along and dropped a lighted

into the powder, causing the ex-The prisoners were taken to the Lee avenue police court and arraigned before Magistrate Furlong, who held each in \$1,000

bail pending a hearing on Tuesday. THREW \$300 WATCH AT A STAGE. Pickpocket Caught After Divesting Him-

self of Plunder. Dr. Frederick S. Dennis of 542 Madison avenue was on a Madison avenue car platform last night when a young man jumped off and walked west through Fifty-sixth

street.

The car had started again when Peter Garland of 40 West Fifty-eighth stress showed the doctor that his watch chain was dangling and Dr. Dennis found that the car and the young man started to run. Dr. Dennis shouted to Policeman Dowling to catch him. The man ran down Fifth avenue, and in front of the St. Regis jumped into a hansom and out the other side, try

into a hansom and out the other side, trying to dodge his pursuers. A Fifth avenue stage was passing and he tossed the watch upon it, hitting a woman over her eye. Dowling caught the man just after he threw the watch at the stage.

At the station house he said he was Joe Evans and lived at the Hotel Aulic. He admitted that his picture was in the gallery. In the chase Dowling's helmet, in which he had placed his pay check, fell off. When he picked it up the check was gone. He and Dr. Dennis found it later in a mudpile.

The watch was recovered The watch was recovered

GEN. WOOD IN BOSTON.

Said to Have Come From Manila to Consult a Surgeon About His Knee.

Boston, July 5.-Major-Gen. Leonard Wood, Mrs. Wood and Capt. Halstead Dorsey, his aid, arrived here from Manila late last night. It has been said that Gen. Wood has come to Boston to consult a surgeon relative to a malady which has of late affected his knee. There is another report in circulation that he came here to have his eyes attended to, the trouble being due, t is said, to the usual effect of the tr sun on eyes not over strong. The General refused to tell the newspaper men what his

ailment really is.

Regarding the knee trouble, it is said that Gen. Wood first noticed it slightly in the Cuban campaign of the Spanish War, and that in the Philippines campaign it bothered him so much that finding he was unable to get the required treatment in unable to get the required treatment in Manila he came to Boston to consult special-

FOUND DEAD BETWEEN TRACKS Victim of Knockout Drops, Who, It 1

Said, Was Placed on the Rails. TARRYTOWN, N. Y., July 5. - Policeman Burns found an unconscious man betwee the New York Central tracks last night and had him removed to the hospital where it was said he was suffering from con-vulsions caused by knockout drops. The man died to-day. The police say the man was placed on the rails, and during his convulsions rolled between the tracks. The Coroner and police are trying to unravel

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chief criticism has been due to the fact that Grand Jurors were not thorough in their wor't. It has been said that the average time taken by a Grand Jury in its investigation of cases is five minutes. It is true that there are some cases that could be disposed of in a minute, but there are others which require most careful consideration.

"My opinion is that the Grand Jury does not give fair and honest consideration to

"My opinion is that the Grand Jury does not give fair and honest consideration to all the cases that come before it. An indictment is only an accusation, but to the world at large it is tantamount to a conviction for crime. Disgrace no man without just cause. I know of a man who was indicted weeks ago, and although there out just cause. I know of a man who was indicted years ago, and, although there was nothing in the accusation, later in life he failed in getting a nomination because of the fact of that unwarranted indictment against him. That man's future prospects were blighted by the heedlessness and thoughtlessness of a Grand Jury that indictedhim. I could cite many such instances.

You must determine whether an in-"You must determine whether an indictment is sought for malice or for just
cause. You must ascertain if the complaining witness is seeking through a criminal action to recover a claim or to gratify
spite. If after an investigation you think
that the indictment is sought for these
reasons it is your duty not to entertain
the complaint but to stand up and say so.

"I charge you that you have the right
to call upon the District Attorney and the
court for advice and instruction. As the
District Attorney is now engaged upon a
serious and most important task I trust
that in that matter you will not give me

that in that matter you will not give me occasion to regret that you have not peroccasion to regret that you have not performed your duty conscientiously and well. You must not consider the opinions of the District Attorney, because an indictment must be your finding, and I hope that you will not subject any individual to unnecessary humiliation or the county to unnecessary expense.

to unnecessary expense.

"The Grand Jury which has the most of its indictments dismissed for lack of evidence does the worst work. I wonder evidence does the worst work. I wonder if any one but a trial judge can appreciate as I can how many indictiments are found on flimsy evidence. Indictments of that sort are a discred it to the Grand Jury that files them. I may have occasion as the term goes on to charge you again."

Russell D. Hyde, a woolen merchant, is the foreman of the Grand Jury. He is no relative of James Hazen Hyde.

SENATOR BRACKETT PROTESTS Against Electing Non-Stockholders as Directors in the Equitable.

ALBANY, July 5 .- Senator Edgar T. Brackett filed to-day with Attorney-General Mayer a protest as a policyholder in the Equitable Life Assurance Society against the election of policyholders who are not stockholders in the corporation to membership in the board of directors. He requests the Attorney-General "to bring action against any person thus usurping the office of director to oust him therefrom. The protest follows:

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My Drar Sir: It is reported in the public prints that the new control of the Equitable Life Assurance Society purposes to elect persons directors of the society, irrespective of the fact whether they are, or are not, owners of stock of the corporation. The fourth of the articles of association of the society is as follows:

"The corporate powers of said company shall be vested in a board of directors, and shall be exercised by them and by such officers and agents as they may appoint and from time to time empower. The board of directors shall consist of fifty-two persons, a majority of whom shall be citizens and residents of the State of New York, and each of whom shall be a proprietor of at least tive shares of said capital stock.

If the report is correct that persons are

five shares of said capital stock."

If the report is correct that persons are to be elected directors who are not owners of stock, as required by this article, and the persons thus elected seek to exercise the functions of directors, as a policyholder, and attorney for a number of other policyholders. I wish to protest and respectfully to request that you bring action against any person usurping the office of director, to oust him therefrom.

Section 1948 of the code provides that the

Section 1948 of the code provides that the Attorney-General may maintain an action upon his own information, or upon the comupon his own information, or upon person plaint of a private person, against a person who usurps, intrudes into, or unlawfully holds or exercises within the State an office in a domestic corporation.

Section 1936 provides that a person thus usurping or intruding is liable to a fine not

usurping or intruding is hable to a school association of the society, and these provisions of law, it seems manifest that if any person seeks to exercise the functions of a director of this society, without owning the required five shares of stock, he is liable to removal and to the penalty named. Yours truly, Attorney-General Mayer declined to-night to make any statement concerning the protest. He said he had merely written to Senator Brackett acknowledging the

FIRE SET TO A TENEMENT.

Woman With Sick Baby Got Up in Time to Arouse Tenants Before Blaze Got Headway.

Mrs. Sarah Knotter, who lives on the second floor of a four story double tenement at 138 Cook street, Williamsburg, after having nursed a sick child early yesterday morning went into the hall to draw water from a hydrant. She found the stairs in the upper part of the house ablaze and her screams awakened members of her family and other occupants of the house. The fire was extinguished of the house. The fire was extinguished by tenants with pails of water. Investigation disclosed that kerosene oil had been poured on the stairs and banisters from the front hall door on the ground floor to the door of the stairway leading to the roof. In different parts of the hall rags, also saturated with oil, were found.

The police of the Stagg street station say that the house had been set on fire and they sent word to Fire Marshal Beers. In the course of the latter's investigation he learned that the door leading to the roof of the house had been carelessly left open on Tuesday night. Whoever saturated the premises with kerosene crossed roofs of adjoining tenement dwellings to reach No. 138.

MOBILE, Ala., July 5 .- Capt. John Beck, a prominent shipmaster and shipowner of Stockholm, Sweden, was drowned late last night at Pascagoula, Miss., near here. Beck was going from his vessel to a barge when he fell into the water.

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EARLY SPIN OF PATRICK O'HARA ENDS NEAR HARLEM RIVER.

Bold Brass Rubber He Until the Speed Mania Prompted Subtraction of Mr. Livermore's Car-Police Succeed in

Locking Up Companion Who Went Back Patrick O'Hara, employed as a brass rubber in the garage of the Colvin Motor Company, at 410 West Fifty-ninth street, was left alone in the place between 7 and 7:30 yesterday morning. The night manager quit at 7 o'clock and the day manager did not show up on time. In the interval O'Hara decided to quit brass rubbing and take a spin.

The machine he selected was a 24 horsepower Fiat, which was the property of John L. Livermore, a broker, living at the Hotel Belleclaire. Just what he intended to do with the machine isn't known, but whatever his designs were they were apparently frustrated by the machine definitely breaking down at 138th street and Morris avenue, where it was recovered from the bushes into which it had been pushed, in the afternoon. O'Hara disappeared.

James McDonald, a chauffeur, who lives at 108th street and the North River, went along with O'Hara at the latter's invitation. When the machine broke down he went back and reported the case at the garage. He said that he went into the garage in the morning in search of a friend, and O'Hara, saying that he was going for a spin, asked help to start the machine. McDonald said he consented to join in the spin. A block away from the garage they picked up a third man, for whom O'Hara stopped.

McDonald says that O'Hara's ideas of driving were crude, but the party went up Amsterdam avenue without mishap and thence over to East 130th street and the Harlem River. On the bridge across the river the motor stopped and it took a few minutes to fix it. McDonald save he then asked where O'Hara intended to go. "Are you going up the North Shore road?"

he said, and he alleges O'Hara replied that he had copped the machine and was going to run away with it. Then McDonald, as he says, walked away from the two others. They threatened him with violence if he didn't join them, but

he ran, and the others made no effort to

pursue him. He went back to the garage. Meanwhile Mr. Livermore's driver, Albert Stillwagon, had gone to the garage and found the car missing. He reported the case to the police of the West Fortyseventh street station. It was an hour later when McDonald returned and supplied a clue. The traffic squad was in-formed of the theft and sleuths were put on

the case. One of them started for The Bronx in a fast automobile.

Mr. Livermore is a broker and was busy until after 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Then

he called at the garage.

"Sure, boss," said a negro caretaker, "I'd a rather any other machine bad been taken than yours. I jest can't figure it nohow. I can't multiply, subtract or divide it, this whild early "

"There is nothing to multiply," retorted Mr. Livermore, "but it's an easy proposition to subtract. One automobile minus one automobile leaves no automobile."

Mr. Livermore said the machine was bought last fall and was worth \$9,000. The stock number of the machine was 715 Farly in the afternoon a man called up garage in Forty-fifth street, where Mr. avermore had previously kept his auto-

mobile.

"Say," said he, "I've been minding a machine up bere for hours while a man went away to get a machinist to fix it.

He hasn't come back, and if you want it you'd better come and get it, as I'm going to ouit."

That garage telephoned the Colvin com-

pany and a man was sent to The Bronx. He found the machine and a tired colored man sitting in it. He said that all he knew about it was that a man had asked him to stay by it until he came back. The machine was taken down to the garage. None of the police who had been told to look for it apparently saw it on its way home. They are still looking for O'Hara. In the afternoon Driver Stillwagon were out warrants for the arrest of two young men. Raymale Gooding. 17 years old, a clerk, of 16 West Fifty-first street, and William Meagan. 18, an elevator boy, of 19 West Fifty-third street. He had heard them talking about the affair in a

poolroom near the garage. Gooding, he said, had declared that he rode in the car as far as Seventy-second street. McDonald was arraigned in the West Fifty-fourth street court in the afternoon and held. 4.000 CLOAKMAKERS STRIKE. A Thousand Shirtmakers Also Quit Work

-Want Higher Wages. Though the coatmakers who are organized as the Brotherhood of Tailors have abandoned the idea of a general strike this summer, other clothing trades are whooping things up for a big strike. Benjamin Schlessinger, manager for the New York district of the International Women's Garment Makers' Union, said yesterday that strikes of cloakmakers and others belonging to his organization had been ordered against twenty firms, and that 4,000 men and women, employed mainly in making children's cloaks, were out so far. The strikes are for higher wages and union con-

ditions, and may be extended to other firms Most of the strikes are in the shops of the contractors or middlemen. The strikers established headquarters yesterday at 64 East Fourth street and appointed strike

One thousand shirtmakers also went on strike yesterday for higher wages and recog-nition of the union in shops at 322 Madison street, 266 Canal street, 324 and 326 Madison street and 59 Walker street,

BIG WAGES FOR BRICKLAYERS. Many Builders Paying a Premium Over Union Rate to Hurry Work.

all inducements to join the Associated Building Trades, modelled on the old Board of Building Trades, which enforced demands by strikes. They will do nothing they say, which will bring them into conflict with the arbitration agreement. They are now getting 70 cents an hour, the high-

est wages ever paid. It was announced yesterday officially on behalf of the bricklayers that trade so good, especially in The Bronx, that many employers are for the time giving a premium on the regular rate of wages in order to get residence buildings hurried to completion, and are paying 75 cents and in some cases 80 cents an hour in order to get the guickest and best men.

to get the quickest and best men.

In a few cases bricklayers who work on fronts and have specialized the work are getting \$1 am hour, but the extra wages are given only for the present in order to rush forward work.

OVERBOARD WITH HIS BOY. Barge Skipper Loses His Grip on Little One, Who Is Lost.

James Burch of New London, Conn., reported yesterday to the police of Long Island City that his three-and-a-half-year-old son was drowned on Tuesday night of his coal barge at the foot of Front street. Burch said he and his son returned to the targe shortly after midnight. He was carrying the boy in his arms, and slipped and fell overboard. He lost his hold on the boy, who sank. The father dived sev-eral times for the little one, but did not find the body.

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MORE DEVLIN . BANKS CLOSE. Directors Did Not Wait for the Depositors' Impending Run.

OTTAWA, Ill., July 5 .- The Spring Valley National Bank of Spring Valley, Ill., with a capital of \$50,000 and deposits of \$483,000 and the First National Bank of Toluca Ill., capital \$100,000 and deposits \$230,000,

The suspension is due to the failure of

the First National Bank of Topeka. Charles J. Deviln is president of both banks. Both institutions were prepared to open for business this morning, but long before the hours of opening arrived long lines of depositors were ready to withdraw their funds. The directors, dubious of the outcome, immediately posted a suspension notice. Coincident with the failure of these two banks there was filed in this county a quit

Deviin and Mary A. J. Devlin to the First National Bank of Topeka to all the lands and tenements in La Salle, Putnam and Marshall counties, with the exception of the right of way of the Toluca, Marquette and Northern Railway Company and ten acres known as the Griffith land. The value placed on this property is \$250,000. Charles Devlin was born and grew to manhood in Peru, this county, and at one time was a messenger boy for the United States

claim deed dated June 20 from Charles J.

Express Company. He prometed and managed the great mining industries of Spring Valley, and was practically the founder of that city.

TOPEKA, Kan., July 5.—State Treasurer Kelly of Kansas may lose his job because of the publicity given to matters connected of the publicity given to matters connected with Devlin's affairs and the failure of the with Devilin's analiss and the failure of the First National Bank. Among the deposits of the bank was one of \$557,000 by the State of Kansas. The law explicitly pro-hibits State funds being deposited in banks, providing for its keeping in the State treas-ury. Technically, it is charged that Kelly is an embezzler to that extent until the money an embezzler to that extent until the me an embezzier to that extent until the money is returned to the State treasury. It is shown also that Kelly has deposited \$200,000 in banks in Kansas City, Kan, Wichita and Hutchinson, while the law explicitly prohibits the deposit of State funds out-

side of Topeka. A petition to declare Devlin a bankrupt was filed in the United States District Court to-day on behalf of Kansas City creditors. The claims of the petitioning creditors aggregate \$5,000.

The effect of the action in bankruptcy will be to set aside the transfers of processing the control of the control of

will be to set aside the transfers of property which have been made by Mr. Devlin recently, except the transfers of life insurance, which were made payable to Mrs. Killed Himself As His Brother Did Two

Years Ago. ORANGE, N. J., July 5.-Levi C. Howell of Johnsonburg, Warren, county, blew his brains out yesterday with a shotgun. He tied a string to the trigger of the gun, tied the string to his toe and, lying down in bed, discharged the gun. In the same



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GREENWOOD, Miss., July 5.-W. C. Carter, the negro recently appointed to a clerkship in the post office at Greenwood, Gov. Vardaman's home town, arrived yesterday from Arkansas to assume his duties, but

almost immediately resigned. Carter was haled before a "citizens, court" and his resignation was demanded. He complied with the demand and a purse was made up to pay his fare back to Ar-

kansas. Carter was appointed from a list of eligibles at the request of the Pest Office Department. A white woman had been appointed to the same place, but the De-partment turned her down, as she had not stood the civil service test.

MARRIED.

ROSS-PARDEE.-At the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. Augustus Vanderoef Heely, Plainfield, New Jersey, on Wednesday, July 5, 1905. by the Rev. Albert C. Monk. Allce Ross, daugh SINGER-BUNKER.-At New York, on Wednes-day, July 5, 1905, Miss Helen Bunker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Bunker of Montclair N. J., to Edgar A. Singer, Jr., of Philadelphia.

DIED.

DONNELL.—Suddenly, on July 4, at his residence, Eaton's Neck, L. I., from appendicitis, William Ballou Donnell, aged 33 years. Cremation at Fresh Pond Crematory on arriva of train leaving 34th st. and East River at 3.30 P. M. for Bush wick Junction, Thursday, July 8

and can leave before cremation if desired. MCVICKAR.—At Southampton, L. I., on July 4 1905, Harry Whitney McVickar, son of the late Rev. Dr. William A. McVickar and Fanny Booth McVickar. Funeral services will be held at St. Andrews Dune Church, Southampton, L. I., on Thursday,

Friends wishing to take farewell are welcome

July 6, at 2:30 P. M. Carriages will meet train leaving New York at 10:30 A. M. MILLER.-In his 40th year, at Buffalo, July 5, 1905 Time of burial service will be published later Buffalo and St. Louis papers please copy

MONTANT .-- At his residence, 146 West 13th st., of the morning of July 4. Charles Louis Montant in his 49th year.

Funeral from St. Vincent de Paul Church, 234 st. near 6th av., Thursday, July 6, at 9 o'clock.

OSBORNE.—Suddenly, at Greenwich, Conn. on Sunday, July 2, 1905, Evelyn, beloved daughter of Charles and Elizabeth Osborne. Funeral services at 321 West 106th st., New York city, on Thursday, July 6, at 11 o'clock Burial

PERRET.—Entered into rest. Ulric F., at his rest dence, 142 East End av. on July 5, 1905, in the 86th year of his age. Requiem mass will be said at the Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel, 90th st., 2d and 3d aves on Friday morning July 7, at 10 o'clock. Gal veston, Tex., and New Orleans. La. papers

WALSH .- On Wednesday, July 5, 1905. John F. Walsh, aged 70 years. Funeral from his late residence, 32 King s Manhattan, Friday, July 7, at 10 o'clock, thence to St. Joseph's Church, corner Washington pl. and 6th av., where a solemn regulem mass

will be offered for the peace of his soul. In terment Calvary.

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